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MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

RESOLUTION

TARIFFS

New Delhi, the 2nd August 1957

**No. 21(3)TP/57.**—The Tariff Commission has submitted its Report on the continuance of protection to the Automobile Hand Tyre Inflator Industry on the basis of an inquiry undertaken by it under sections 11(e) and 13 of the Tariff Commission Act, 1951. Its recommendations are as follows:—

- (1) A protective duty of 25 per cent. *ad valorem* should be adequate and protection may be continued at that rate till 31st December, 1960.
- (2) The request of the industry to extend the validity of licences to one year for the import of raw materials should be favourably considered by Government.
- (3) It will be advisable for the manufacturers who produce hand tyre inflators (pumps) out of welded tubes, to use seamless tubes for the manufacture of those pumps.

2. Government accept the recommendation that protection to the Automobile Hand Tyre Inflator Industry be extended till the 31st December, 1960, and necessary legislation will be undertaken in due course to implement it. As regards the rate of protective duty, while Government agree that a duty of 25 per cent. *ad valorem* recommended by the Tariff Commission would be adequate to protect the industry against foreign competition, having regard to the existing structure of even the Revenue Tariff it has been decided in consultation with the Commission, that the protective duty should be continued at the present level of 45 per cent. *ad valorem*.

3. Government have taken note of recommendation (2) and it will be considered along with other relevant factors.

4. The attention of the industry is invited to recommendation (3).

#### ORDER

Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be communicated to all concerned and it be published in the *Gazette of India*.

B. B. SAKSENA, Joint Secy.